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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<b>In Re Application of:</b>	LIXIAO WANG
<b>Application No.:</b>	10/055747
<b>Filed:</b>	January 23, 2002
<b>For:</b>	MEDICAL DEVICES EMPLOYING CHAIN EXTENDED POLYMERS
<b>Examiner:</b>	Sandra Nolan
<b>Group Art Unit:</b>	1772

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Docket No: S63.2B-10062-US01

PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136

Petitioners, **Scimed Life Systems, Inc.**, hereby request a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed June 24, 2003. This petition is accompanied by \$110.00 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17 and is filed prior to or with the response.

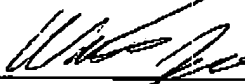
Any outstanding fee for extension should be charged to our Deposit Account, No. 22-0350.

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